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CUBAN BILL SIGNED

President Attached His Name to the Reciprocity Treaty Thursday Afternoon.

HE ISSUES A PROCLAMATION.

Declares the Convention, as Amended by United States Senate to Be in Effect December 27.

Every Clause Thereof Will Be Observed and Fulfilled With Good Faith By the United States and the Citizens.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The president signed the Cuban reciprocity bill a few minutes before 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

President Roosevelt issued the following proclamation announcing the ratification of the reciprocity treaty between the United States and Cuba: "By the President of the United States of America:

"A Proclamation—Whereas, A convention between the United States of America and the republic of Cuba to facilitate their commercial intercourse by improving the conditions of trade between the two countries, was concluded and signed by their respective plenipotentiaries at the city of Havana on the 11th day of December, 1902, the original of which convention, being in the English and Spanish languages, was amended by the senate of the United States,

"And, Whereas, By the terms of the said convention it is provided that the ratifications thereof should be exchanged at the city of Washington as soon as may be before the 31st day of January, 1903, which period was by a supplementary convention signed by the respective plenipotentiaries of the two countries on January 26, 1903, extended to the 31st day of March, 1903.

"And, Whereas, The said convention of December 11, 1902, as amended by the senate of the United States, and the said supplementary convention of January 26, 1903, have been duly ratified on both parts and the ratifications of the two governments were exchanged in the city of Washington on the 31st day of March, 1903.

"And, Whereas, By its resolution of March 19, 1903, the senate of the United States, added to the end of article — the said convention of December 11, 1902, the following amendment: 'This convention shall not take effect until the same shall have been approved by the congress;'

"And, Whereas, The congress gave its approval to the said convention by an act approved December 17, 1903, entitled, 'An act to carry into effect a convention between the United States and the republic of Cuba, signed on the 11th day of December, in the year 1902.'

"And, Whereas, Satisfactory evidence has been received by the president of the United States, that the republic of Cuba has made provision to give full effect to the articles of the said convention:

"Now, Therefore, Be it known that I, Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States of America, in conformity with the said act of congress, do hereby declare and proclaim the said convention, as amended by the senate of the United States, to be in effect on the 10th day from the date of this, my proclamation.

"Wherefore, I have caused the said convention, as amended by the senate of the United States, to be made public to the end that the same and every clause thereof amended, may be observed and fulfilled with good faith by the United States and the citizens thereof.

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

"Done at the City of Washington, this 17th day of December, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and three and of the Independence of the United States 128th.

"(Signed)

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

"By the president:

"JOHN HAY.

"Secretary of State."

To Protect Animals, Birds and Fish.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Representative Lacey introduced a bill for the protection of wild animals, birds and fish in the forest reserves of the United States. The bill authorizes the president to select and designate certain sections of such reserves as "breeding places" for game, and prohibits hunting thereon.

The Price of Steel.

New York, Dec. 18.—Representatives of the steel plate pool were in session here Thursday and affirmed the present price, namely \$1.60 per 100 pounds at Pittsburgh. Five companies were represented.

HAS A FORCE AT WORK.

Believed Gold in Paying Quantities Was Found in Kentucky.

Ashland, Ky., Dec. 18.—J. C. Bracken, the veteran Pennsylvania oil operator, who has sunk several dry holes in Johnson and Laurel counties, Kentucky, during the past 15 years, was here Thursday and he now strongly believes he has found gold quartz in paying quantities on the John C. Baker farm, in the Low Gap section of Johnson county. Mr. Bracken states he is confident the ore will produce \$400 in gold to the ton. The quartz is located a few feet under the bed of the creek, and Mr. Bracken has a force at work making excavations preparatory to beginning active operations.

EVANGELICAL WORK.

Bible Students Will Spend Christmas Vacation in the Mountains.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 18.—Fourteen Bible students of Kentucky university arranged Thursday night to spend their Christmas vacation in evangelical work in the Kentucky mountains. A large number of Kentucky university students spent last summer in the mountains with gratifying results. The Bible college of Kentucky university is the principal theological institution of the Christian denomination in the world, and will send a small army of Bible students into the mountains next summer.

DOUBLE WEDDING.

Minister Tied Two Knots While on His Own Bridal Tour.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 18.—While their train was running 50 miles an hour between Richmond and Nicholasville, the Rev. E. O. Beck, who was himself on his bridal tour, en route to Louisville, performed the ceremony uniting Bush Rice and Mollie Clark and Embury Clark and Bessie Alexander.

The trainmen held the couples on their feet to steady them from the violent motion of the train.

First Woman Candidate.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 18.—The democratic committee set February 16 for the primary to nominate candidates for county offices in the election of November, 1904. For the first time in this county there is a woman candidate, namely, Mrs. Clarence Falconer, who is contesting the nomination for county superintendent with Prof. J. D. Clark.

The Alexandria Traction Line.

Newport, Ky., Dec. 18.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Newport and Alexandria Traction Co., will be held in Alexandria on January 4. Col. A. S. Berry stated that work on the road had been impeded on account of the contention over the right of way through the streets of Newport.

Panic on a Train.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 18.—An ammonia heating stove in use on the L. & N. Frankfort accommodation train leaving Louisville Thursday afternoon exploded with terrific force west of Christiansburg Thursday night, creating a panic among the passengers in the smoking car.

Vigilance Committee Fired Grog Shop.

Clinton, Ky., Dec. 18.—A vigilance committee set fire to a house in the outskirts of the city, which two men had stocked with whisky. The building was destroyed but most of the whisky was saved. One of the men who was sleeping in the building had a narrow escape.

To Sell West Point.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 18.—Dr. Prewitz, of this city, left here to make a proposition to the war department looking toward the sale of the West Point (Ky.) ground on which the recent military maneuvers were held. The government may buy the land.

Lorraine Mix Made Assistant.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 18.—Attorney General-elect N. B. Hays has already taken up his residence in Frankfort, preparatory to taking the oath of office on January 1. The assistant in his office will be Lorraine Mix, a young Louisville attorney.

J. E. Sandusky Still Alive.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 18.—A letter from Dixon, Tenn., from J. E. Sandusky, addressed to Mayor Jovett Henry, denies that the former was murdered by Negroes near Pombroke on November 14. He writes that he is safe and well.

Master Commissioners Appointed.

Lancaster, Ky., Dec. 18.—Circuit Judge-elect Bell has appointed the following master commissioners in his district, composed of four counties: Garrard, J. M. Rothwell; Lincoln, Geo. Sauley; Boyle, Reed Nichols; Mercer, Lee Curry.

The Third infantry, now at Fort Thomas, Ky., will be sent to Canton to guard McKinley's tomb.

DIETRICH INDICTED

True Bill Returned Against a United States Senator by the Grand Jury at Omaha.

EIGHTEEN OTHER INDICTMENTS.

Deitrich is Charged With Illegal Leasing of a Building to the Government For a Post Office.

Among the Others Indicted Are Ex-Adj. Gen. Leonard W. Colby, Ex-State Senator Lowe and Postmaster J. S. Mitchell.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 18.—The United States grand jury Thursday made its report to the court, returning 19 true bills. These include indictments against United States Senator Charles H. Dietrich for alleged illegal leasing of a building to the government to be used as a post office; former Adj. Gen. Leonard W. Colby, for the alleged embezzlement of government funds; Daniel Gaines, of Bassett, Neb., for alleged perjury in swearing falsely to homestead entries; former State Senator Elliott Lowe, for alleged conspiracy to bribe a United States senator; Postmaster John S. Mitchell, of Alma, Neb., charging him with illegal sale of postage stamps; William M. Irwin, on a charge of acting as agent for Mitchell, and against R. M. Allen, president of the Standard Cattle Co., for the alleged illegal fencing of government lands.

The other indictments were similar to that against Allen, but do not involve extensive tracts of land.

The jury reported it had further matters under consideration.

The indictments against Senator Dietrich and State Senator Lowe are in addition to those returned against them a week ago.

Sensor Dietrich is charged with violation of section 3739 of the Revised Statutes, which provides that no member or delegate to congress shall "directly or indirectly, himself or by any other person in trust for him, or for his use or benefit, on his account, undertake, execute, hold or enjoy, in whole or in part, any contract or agreement made or entered into in behalf of the United States, by any officer or person authorized to make contracts on behalf of the United States."

The indictment charges that Senator Dietrich leased to the government on April 24, 1901, a building at Hastings, Neb., to be used for a post office, at an annual rental of \$1,300. There is one count which covers the amount received for rental of the building from the date of its lease by the government up to the present time, equal to a sum slightly in excess of \$2,000.

The indictment against former State Senator Lowe charges him with conspiracy to bribe a United States senator.

Two counts each of \$500 are named in the bill. It is charged that these amounts were paid to Lowe by Postmaster John C. Mitchell in consideration of Lowe's endorsement of Mitchell's candidacy to Senator Dietrich for the appointment as postmaster at Alma, Neb.

ADDITIONAL CHARGES.

Official Conduct of United States Marshal Colbert.

Ardmore, I. T., Dec. 18.—Additional charges, involving the official conduct of United States Marshal Colbert, of the southern district of Indian territory, have been filed with the department of justice. In the new complaint Colbert is charged with neglect of duty and with having used his office for political purposes. Colbert is an Indian and served with Roosevelt's regiment in Cuba.

SMUGGLED CHINESE.

Ten Were Arrested While Making Their Way Into Whatcom, Wash.

Whatcom, Wash., Dec. 18.—Ten Chinese who had been deserted by their guide, who piloted them across the international boundary line into this country, were arrested Thursday as they made their way into this city in a famished and exhausted condition. They had spent Wednesday and Wednesday night wandering around in the woods during a terrific downpour of rain. They will be ordered deported.

Farmer Shot and Killed.

Fontana, Kan., Dec. 13.—Andrew Ross, a young farmer, was shot and killed at his home near here by a masked man who escaped. The murderer entered the room where Ross and his wife slept without warning and shot Ross six times.

Joplin, Mo., Dec. 18.—W. J. Clark, a wealthy mine owner of Montana, was seized with a cramp while on the street here Thursday night and died a few moments later. He was a relative of United States Senator Clark.

SOCIAL SEASON OPENED.

Dinner in Honor of the Cabinet Given at the White House.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The dinner in honor of the cabinet, which marked the opening of the social season at the white house, was given by President and Mrs. Roosevelt Thursday night. Invited to meet the members of the cabinet was a large company, including members of the senate and house, and quite a number of out of the town guests. The table was set in the state dining room. It was semi-circular in shape and was decorated with beds of red carnations and huge vases of bride's roses. To the right of the president sat Mrs. Hay and to his left Mrs. Root. Secretary Root escorted Mrs. Roosevelt to the table. Mrs. Roosevelt wore a dress of white brocade and lace, Miss Carow white satin with crystal trimmings and Miss Roosevelt blue satin and lace. Secretary Hay was unable to be present on account of indisposition, and Senator Hanna was called away from the city on a business matter.

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Pension Appropriation Bill Passed in the House.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Senate—The senate Thursday was the scene of a most important debate on the isthmian canal question as affected by the president's recognition of the independence of the republic of Panama. The discussion began with a speech by Mr. Hoar, on his resolution of inquiry, and lasted several hours. In addition to Mr. Hoar's address there were speeches by Mr. Gorman and Mr. Foraker. All three were notable utterances and of historical interest.

House—The house passed without division the pension appropriation bill carrying \$138,150,100. While the bill was under consideration, there was a general discussion on Panama, rural free delivery, tariff and pensions, speeches being made by Messrs. Scott (rep., Kan.), Miers (dem., Ind.), Sims (dem., Tenn.) and Burgess (dem., Tex.).

A HISTORICAL PEN.

The One With Which the Cuban Treaty Was Signed.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The greatest dispatch was used in getting the Cuban bill started to the white house Thursday for signature of the president. Senor Don Gonzalo de Quesada was at the capitol when the congress was convened and he offered a pen for the signatures necessary to make the reciprocity treaty operative. The pen was a gold one with a highly ornamented holder. It was used by Speaker Cannon, President Pro. Tem. Frye and Alexander McDowell, clerk of the house. It accompanied the bill to the white house, where it was used by President Roosevelt. The pen will be sent to Havana, where it will be placed on exhibition in the Cuban palace.

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE.

President Sends a Communication to Congress From Secretary Hay.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The president sent to congress Thursday a communication from Secretary Hay submitting to him the report of the commission on international exchange constituted under authority of congress to make an effort to bring about a fixed relationship between the money of the gold standard countries and the silver using countries. The secretary says to carry this policy to completion it remains to submit the conclusions of the foreign commissioners to the Chinese government to defray the expenses of which the secretary says an appropriation of \$100,000 will be necessary, which recommendation the president approves.

ITALIANS KILLED.

Four Lost Their Lives in a Dynamite Explosion at Cramer, Pa.

Dubois, Pa., Dec. 18.—Four Italians were killed and two probably fatally injured by a dynamite explosion at Cramer, ten miles from here, Thursday. The men were laborers on grading work for the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh road and were blasting. Their dynamite was frozen and when they attempted to thaw it the explosion followed, shaking the ground and buildings for nearly a mile. The bodies of the four men were gathered up in baskets. The injured were frightfully mangled and were taken to Adrian hospital at Punxsutawney.

The Net Draws Tighter.

Rising Sun, Ind., Dec. 18.—The visit of the grand jury to the scene and surroundings of the murder of Elizabeth Gillespie Thursday signifies that the investigation has almost reached a conclusion. By Friday afternoon or Saturday, it is thought, the jury will report and people are confident that one and possibly two indictments will be returned.

ORDERED TO LEAVE

Colombian General Told Cruiser Atlanta to Get Out of Colombian Waters.

AN ARMED FORCE AT TITUMATI.

Lieut. Perrill Ordered to Board a Schooner Whose Hold Was Packed With Colombian Soldiers.

They Declared They Have 2,000 Men Between the Mouth of the Atrato and Tiburon, With Several Pieces of Artillery.

Colon, Dec. 18.—The United States cruiser Atlanta, commander, William H. Turner, returned here Wednesday night from the Gulf of Darien. She discovered, December 15, a detachment of Colombian troops, numbering visually about 500 men, but according to their statements, totaling 1,500 or 2,000 men, at Titumati, on the western side of the gulf, just north of the mouth of the Atrato river. The commander of the Atlanta sent ashore an officer, who conversed with the Colombian commander. The latter protested energetically against the presence of American warships in Colombian waters, insomuch as war between Colombia and the United States had not been declared, and politely requested the Atlanta to leave the gulf, because it belonged to Colombia. Commander Turner ignored the request, and the Atlanta returned to Colon to report to Rr. Adm. Coghlan.

Early in the morning of December 15 the Atlanta sighted a small schooner in the Gulf of Darien and followed her to the western shore, where the schooner attempted to hide behind an islet. Lieut. Harlan P. Perrill, of the Atlanta, was ordered to board her, and thereupon a whaleboat was lowered and pulled towards the schooner. Lieut. Perrill's boat's crew consisted of 12 men. On the first trip they were unarmed, excepting four revolvers. When the whaleboat approached the schooner 24 soldiers were seen seated on the side, nearest to the direction from which the Americans came, with rifles lying handily across their knees and pointing towards the whaleboat. Gen. Novo, who is a Venezuelan by birth, and second in command of the Colombian forces, stood on the deck of the schooner and insolently called out in broken English:

"What way is this to make war?"

Lieut. Perrill explained that it was not war, but a friendly visit. Gen. Novo, however, refused to furnish him with any information.

An interpreter who boarded the schooner discovered that she had 70 to 80 armed men, packed sardine-like in her hold. The Atlanta then signaled to Lieut. Perrill to return to his ship and later the lieutenant returned to the shore to visit Gen. Ortiz. This time he took with him a dozen rifles concealed in the bow of the whaleboat, in case of emergency. The whaleboat was rowed steadily towards the schooner, the excitement increasing as she approached; but, when Lieut. Perrill went on shore Gen. Ortiz appeared on the beach and the excitement subsided.

Gen. Ortiz made an eloquent verbal protest against the Americans' presence, the Colombian troops continually cheering his remarks. He subsequently committed his protest to writing. The general seemed uncertain at the beginning whether or not war had been declared. He left the port of Cartagena December 2 and some of the others declared they had been in the gulf for a month past conducting defensive and preparatory operations.

The Colombians carefully and systematically made efforts to avoid furnishing any information as to what purposes had brought them to the gulf, or whether they were building a road towards the republic of Panama. But, it can be said reliably, that they are awaiting superior orders. In the meantime there is strong probability that they are building a road towards Panama. The distance separating Titumati and Yaviza is 60 miles.

The Colombians declared they had 2,000 men between the mouth of the Atrato and Tiburon, well supplied with food, clothing and ammunition. They also have several pieces of artillery mounted advantageously at coastal points. Their demeanor, though polite, clearly showed hostility and deep chagrin at having been discovered. Many indications pointed to their intention of bringing further men and supplies to the gulf.

Shot the Chief of Police.

North Adams, Mass., Dec. 18.—Enraged at the refusal of his chief to immediately restore him to duty, from which he had been temporarily suspended for intoxication, Officer Gardner Northup shot Chief of Police William Dineen.

EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.
ROSSER & MCCARTHY,
Proprietors.
FRI DAY, DECEMBER 18 1903

THE WEATHER RECORD.

(For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a. m.)
State of weather.....Clear
Highest temperature.....29
Lowest temperature.....6
Mean temperature.....17.5
Wind direction.....Northerly
Precipitation (inches) rain or snow......00
Previously reported for December......87
Total for December to date......87
Dec. 18th. 9:36 a. m.—Partly cloudy and warmer to night. Saturday rain or snow.

MUST TAKE ROOSEVELT.

New York Paper Says He's Sure of the Nomination, But Thinks Democrats Can Easily Beat Him.

[New York News]

In his own State, where he is best known, Mr. Roosevelt to-day faces the prospect of certain defeat. He will have to work miracles within the next 11 months to carry New York. Unfortunately for him, when he plays hardest at pure politics he mars most his own chances of winning. The Odell-Platt muddle, in which he had the shaping hand, is worth tens of thousands of votes to the Democrats.

As Representative John Sharp Williams, the new Democratic leader of the House, said in a recent interview, "The chances of a Democratic victory are better with Roosevelt as the Republican candidate than with any other man, and yet I am sorry to see it, as, if he should be elected, it means a threat to the peace of nations. The country distrusts him, the business interests have no confidence in him, and his public acts are reacting against him now."

Wireless Trolley a Success.

[Atlantic City Telegram to the Chicago Record-Herald.]

The "wireless" trolley system invented by Leon W. Pullen, of Philadelphia, was successfully tested over a mile of steam railroad track to-day. The invention does away with the third rail through the use of a magnet. The equipment, which is easily adjusted, consists mainly of a highly magnetized bar running the entire length of the car. The feed wire is buried in the ground. At intervals of eighteen feet a metal cap four inches in diameter comes to the surface. This cap is harmless and has no connection with the feed wire. It only becomes charged when touched by the metal bar under the car.

Musical goods at O'Keefe's.

The children of the M. E. Church will meet at 1:30 Saturday afternoon.

Andrew Boyd died at Lexington of lockjaw, caused by stepping on a rusty tack.

Go to O. H. P. Thomas & Co., 120 and 122 Market street, for the purest and best whiskies, brandies, wines and gin. Goods guaranteed.

All men interested in christian work are earnestly requested to meet Mr. O. B. Van Horn at the Y. M. C. A. parlors this evening at 7 o'clock. A religious work institute will be conducted at that hour. The Junior gymnasium class will meet Saturday at 3 p. m. instead of to-night.

At Covington, J. S. Stephens was held to the grand jury in sum of \$500 to answer for disposing of arms and uniforms belonging to the State Guard. Stephens was Lieutenant of the company and would probably have been elected Captain shortly had he behaved himself.

Those who saw "A Friend of the Family" at the opera house last night have nothing to complain of—they got it all in large and liberal doses Thursday night. The attendance was not big, but the bargain counter of high-class comedy was overflowing at all times. The company seems to be made up of top-notchers in their special lines and the play written with the sole idea of affording patrons a chance to laugh and grow corpulent.

FIFTH TOBACCO FAIR.

It Will Be Bigger and Better Than Ever.
List of Premiums For Tobacco,
Wheat, Corn and Potatoes.

The fifth annual tobacco and corn fair will be held in Maysville Saturday, Feb. 20th, 1904. It will be bigger and better than ever. Excursion rates on all rail roads. Eminent speakers will deliver short addresses.

Samples of tobacco must contain twelve bands. Exhibitors must state that sample was grown by him or on his land. All samples must be shown in class to which they belong. They must be in the court house at Maysville not later than 11 o'clock Saturday, Feb. 20th.

Music by at least two bands. Exercises at opera house begin promptly at 1 o'clock. A train on L. and N. R. R. will leave after the fair.

Below is a list of the premiums to be awarded:

Cigarette—First premium \$50, second premium \$25, third premium \$10, fourth premium \$5.
Bright Leaf—First premium \$40, second premium \$15, third premium \$10, fourth premium \$5.
Lugs—First premium \$20, second premium \$10, third premium \$5, fourth premium \$2.50.
Red Leaf—First premium \$25, second premium \$15, third premium \$10, fourth premium \$2.50.
White Corn—(Twenty-five ears make a sample) First premium \$3, second premium \$2, third premium \$1.
Yellow Corn—(Twenty-five ears make a sample) First premium \$3, second premium \$2, third premium \$1.
Wheat—(One peck of wheat, any kind) First premium \$2, second premium \$1, third premium 50c.
Potatoes—(One peck, any variety) First premium \$2, second premium \$1, third premium 50c.
Address for further information John Duley, President of the Board of Trade, or H. C. Curran, Secretary Board of Trade, Maysville, Ky.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Claude H. Tolle of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting her mother, Mrs. William Gabby.

—Mr. Allie Worick, who has been with Uncle Sam's army in the Philippines, is at home visiting relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Warden, of Covington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nelson, of East Second street.

—Mr. Stanley Reed, who is attending Yale College, will arrive home in a few days to spend the Christmas holidays.

—Mrs. Milton Johnson was in Cincinnati Thursday to meet her husband en route home from several weeks stay at Norfolk, Va.

—Mrs. Nannie Shackleford, after a visit in the East, is spending a few days in Maysville before leaving for a sojourn with her daughter, Mrs. Will Johnson, of Los Angeles.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Maysville, Mason County, Ky., for the week ending Wednesday, December 16, 1903:

Beachford, Wash	Nance, Louis
Bryson, Mrs. Emma	Rice, Mrs. Maggie
Chandler, William	Stevens, W. Jay
Collins, Bruce	Thomas, Mrs. Mary L.
Douglas, Mrs. Agness	Thompson, W. W.
Enochs, Geo.	Wilson, Mr. and Mrs.
Hall, Mrs. C. J.	Fleming
Hunter, Mrs. John	Wilson, J. F.
Jackson, James	Wilson, Mrs. Martha J.
Mosee & Son, Mrs. Ella	Wordworth, Al.

Persons calling for any of the above will please say advertised.

CLARENCE MATHEWS, P. M.

Toys and dolls at O'Keefe's.

Buy Old Limestone whisky, deservedly the best. BUCKNER GOODMAN.

City Attorney Wood got a severe fall on the icy pavement on Court street Thursday but fortunately escaped without injury.

The ice gorge at this point now extends up to the mouth of Limestone. People were crossing on it this morning, but it is none too safe.

A niece of Mr. Frank Spiller, of Tuckahoe, died at her home in Ripley Thursday. She was a daughter of Mr. Frank Spiller of the latter place.

State Auditor's Agent John J. O'Donnell has filed an agreed assessment with W. W. Ball, assignee of J. M. and J. W. Alexander and J. W. Alexander & Bro. for omitted taxes on personal property for the years 1903 and 1904. State and county taxes \$143, penalty \$28 60, Clerk's fees \$3.

Trying Days...

These before Christmas. All want to give, it's what to give that worries. Let us aid in selecting. We have a full line of the things that are sure to suit. Can suit any pocketbook also. It is not the cost of a gift alone that gives it value. Quality is the main thing whether the token be the large or small. Many of the things we offer will cost more elsewhere. Many cannot be had elsewhere at any price. Come in, look them over and let us give you some prices.

COMB and BRUSH CASES,
COLLAR and CUFF
BOXES,
CUT and PRESSED GLASS
BOTTLES, SHAVING
MUGS, POWDER
BOXES,
INFANT SETS,
CARD CASES, POCKET-
BOOKS, PURSES,
ETC.

Thos. J. Chenoweth,
DRUGGIST,

Cor. Second and Sutton Sts., Maysville, Ky.

Commissioner's SALE

MASON CIRCUIT COURT.
C. E. Gruell's Admr.,
Against
May Gruell & als.,
Plaintiff,
Equity.
Defendants.

In obedience to a judgment and order of sale of the Mason Circuit Court, rendered in the above mentioned cause at the November term, 1903, I shall, on

Saturday, December 19, 1903,

at 10 a. m. o'clock on the premises proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, the following real property, to-wit: Beginning on the east margin of the Mt. Gilead turnpike where the county road crosses said turnpike, in the center of the county road, thence with the center of said county road S. 23 $^{\circ}$ E. 30 poles, 18 links to a stake; thence S. 38 $^{\circ}$ E. 19 poles, 12 links to a stake; thence S. 27 $^{\circ}$ E. 35 poles, 14 links; thence leaving the county road S. 79 $^{\circ}$ E. 140 poles, 11 links to a stake; thence N. 18 $^{\circ}$ E. 11 poles, 28 links to a stone; thence S. 70 $^{\circ}$ E. 7 poles, 3 links to a stone; thence N. 26 $^{\circ}$ E. 47 poles, 5 links to the center of the Mt. Gilead turnpike opposite a set stone on the south side of said pike; thence with the center of said pike N. 23 $^{\circ}$ W. 15 poles, 8 links; N. 61 $^{\circ}$ W. 25 poles, 18 links; N. 48 $^{\circ}$ W. 26 poles; N. 69 $^{\circ}$ W. 24 poles; N. 70 $^{\circ}$ W. 72 poles, 13 links; S. 79 $^{\circ}$ W. 35 poles, 9 links to a stake in the center of the place opposite corner of Wood's yard; thence with the line of the fence of said yard S. 7 $^{\circ}$ W. 28 poles, 6 links to a large locust tree; thence N. 62 $^{\circ}$ W. 27 poles, 23 links to the center of the pike; thence S. 33 $^{\circ}$ W. 11 poles, 6 links to the beginning, containing 105 acres, and being same land conveyed to Clarence Gruell by A. H. Calvert by deed dated March 1st, 1902, of record in deed book 103, page 177, Mason County Clerk's office. Purchaser may pay first and second bonds before maturity. This land is sold to settle the estate of C. E. Gruell, deceased.

The purchaser must be prepared to promptly execute bond, with approved security, for the purchase price, which bond shall bear legal interest from day of sale until paid.

C. BURGESS TAYLOR,
Master Commissioner.
Applegate & Clarke Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Commissioner's SALE

MASON CIRCUIT COURT.
James R. Roberson,
Against
Mary E. Hutchinson,
Plaintiff,
Equity.
Defendant.

In obedience to a judgment and order of sale of the Mason Circuit Court, rendered in the above mentioned cause at the November term, 1903, I shall, on

Saturday, December 19, 1903,

at 3 o'clock p. m., at the court house door, in Maysville, Ky., proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six months, the following real property, to-wit: A certain lot or parcel of land in the town of Mayslick, Mason County, Kentucky, east of Main street, on turnpike road, and east of the old Lexington road, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake on said road, corner to A. Mitchell, at a shop occupied by Dr. Duke; thence with the Mitchell line South 68 $^{\circ}$ E. 8 poles to a stake thereon; North 23 $^{\circ}$ East 36 feet, 3 inches to a stake, a corner between the premises and Lewis Coffee; thence N. 68 $^{\circ}$ West 8 poles to a stake, a corner between the premises and said Coffee; thence with said road 36 feet, 3 inches to the beginning; or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money to be made, to-wit: \$150.50, and \$50 probable costs of this action.

The purchaser must be prepared to promptly execute bond, with approved security, for the purchase price, which bond shall bear legal interest from day of sale until paid.

C. BURGESS TAYLOR,
Master Commissioner.
Thos. R. Phister, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Attention, K. of P.'s.
Limestone Lodge No. 36 will confer the rank of Esquire to-night. Members are urged to be present.

WHAT A

Quarter Will Buy!

Belts of black or red patent leather, white suede belts, harness buckle, bodice belts of tan suede embroidered in steel, exceptional values in colored leather belts, tucked black girdle belts with fancy buckle.
Leather watch fobs, several styles.
Teneriffe doilies, one large, nine small wheels.
Stick pins of many styles and settings.
Battenberg doilies, 8 inches square.
Stocks of embroidered swiss, silk with applique, vesting button trimmed, silk with fagotting, battenberg, fully 15 different styles.
Handkerchiefs sheer, medium, heavy, hemstitched, scalloped or lace edge an assured variety of 25 styles. Complete line of Mourning handkerchiefs.
Fleeced black cashmere, black superb taffata silk, black, white and colored golf gloves.
Black wool mittens, gingham or white lawn aprons.
Fancy dressing combs in white or black, several styles.
Neat hair and clothes brushes natural wood back.
Medium and heavy weight fine Maco stockings, all black or split feet.
Genuine Whiting paper, several styles, put up in attractive boxes.
Huckaback hemmed or hemstitched and fringed or hemstitched damask towels.
Chiffon brier stitched veils, black, white or blue, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards long.

D. HUNT & SON.

Stocks Refilled

Yesterday with new things from Wilson Bros. On display to-day. Rapid selling of new, novel and serviceable articles. Come early.

GEO. H. FRANK & CO.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

I have some good Farms, dwellings and Building Lots on my list that would be

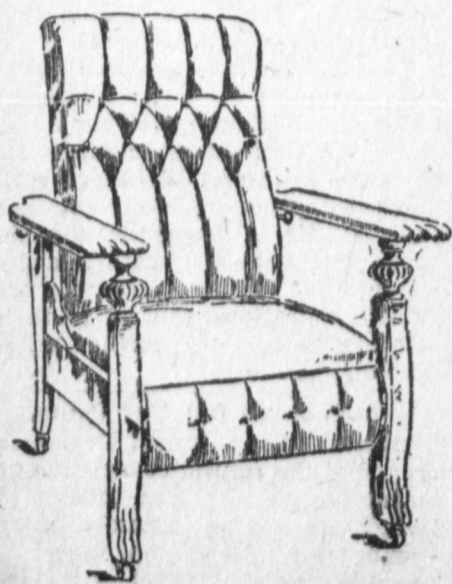
JUST THE THING

for you to present your son or daughter for a Christmas remembrance. What do you say about it? Wishing the reader a "Merry Christmas," yours truly,

JOHN DULEY,

Real Estate, Maysville.

'PHONE 333.



REMEMBER

The New Shoe Store

For anything you may want in holiday footwear. We have a new line of fancy Slippers that will make an acceptable Christmas present for HIM. Only a few days remain in which you can get certificates with each 50c. purchase entitling you to share in our Yuletide celebration, in which \$150 in cash and nice presents are to be given to patrons. Prizes range from \$50 down, this elegant Morris Chair being one of the other gifts awarded. Beautiful hand-painted water color landscapes to the first one hundred ladies to present certificates after the other articles are disposed of. None reserved. Early comers get the choicest pictures, some being mounted on heavy, beveled mats, requiring no frames.

W. R. SMITH & CO.

Kind Words for the Senior Proprietor of the Bulletin.

[Carlisle Mercury.]

Geo. Rosser, the veteran editor of the Maysville Bulletin, is quite seriously ill. He is one of the oldest of the editors and publishers in the State, and has a well-earned reputation as a clever gentleman, a good citizen and impartial and honest editor. No man could boast of a better record.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Household and kitchen furniture at auction at No. 21 West Second street at 2 o'clock p. m. Saturday. MRS. M. W. COULTER.
FOR SALE—Two bloodhounds. Apply to N. GOLLENSTEIN, 431 Forest avenue, Maysville, Ky.
FOR SALE—A horse and phaeton on reasonable terms. Also a walnut sideboard. Apply to MRS. A. E. COLE.
FOR RENT OR SALE—My farm on Jersey Ridge pike. Apply on premises. Money 12-46.
rent. MRS. K. F. MILLER.

The Bee Hive!

WE GIVE GLOBE TRADING STAMPS.

Open Every Night Until Xmas!

Follow the crowd to the Big Store where you will find the largest selection of Christmas gifts. No guessing here. Every article marked in plain figures. Come and see for yourself.

Pyrographic Outfit.

All the rage for making burnt wood. Price \$2.25, with two pieces of stamped wood. A big collection of stamped wood from 8c. up. Come and ask to see it.

Handkerchiefs.

Three great specials. All linen initial, 10c. All silk fancy border, 39c. Embroidered, worth 25, special Xmas price 18c.

Long Needle Pines

Direct from Georgia, used to decorate our store till Xmas. On sale now but will not be delivered until Xmas eve. Price 35c and 49c. Come soon to secure one.

Cloaks! Cloaks! Cloaks!

We are headquarters for Cloaks. Special prices from now until Xmas.

See the 25 Cent Table!

A PLEASANT OCCASION.

Sheriff Roberson and Wife Entertain a Number of Friends at a Sumptuous Dinner Thursday.

Sheriff Roberson and wife entertained a number of friends at dinner Thursday at their pleasant and very hospitable home on East Second street.

The invitations were limited to the sureties on his official bond, with a few other intimate friends. Covers were laid for fourteen, the fortunate guests being Judge Newell, County Clerk Wood, County Treasurer C. D. Pearce, Deputy Sheriff James Mackey, Squire John H. Clarke, ex-Sheriff Samuel Perrine, Dr. Taulbee, Dr. Adamson, Master Commissioner C. Burgess Taylor, and Messrs. James N. Kirk, J. T. Collopy, W. P. Roberson, T. B. Roberson and M. F. Marsh. Mr. and Mrs. Roberson were assisted in dispensing the hospitalities of the occasion by their daughter, Miss Mary, and niece, Miss Bessie Roberson of Mayslick. A most sumptuous spread, embracing the season's delicacies and substantial, was served in most tempting style. It goes without saying it was enjoyed to the fullest. The guests will long retain pleasant memories of the happy occasion.

Pan "kake" flour and syrup—Calhoun's.

Chickenpox is very prevalent at Mayslick.

The Dover band will be reorganized Saturday night.

Slop for sale at Limestone distillery, commencing Dec. 11th.

Mrs. O. P. Thomas purchased a fine piano from Mr. Gerbrich this week.

The C. and O. pay car is due to pass over the Cincinnati division of the road to-day.

The Dover Christian Church has called Elder J. D. Houston as minister for another year.

The petition for a rehearing in the case of Savage against Bulger & Co. has been overruled by the Court of Appeals.

Rev. Mr. Gillis, of Wilmore, will assist the pastor in a meeting at the Dover M. E. Church, South, beginning Christmas night.

W. I. Jackson and wife have sold to Edward and Mattie Lee a house and lot on south side of Third street, Fifth ward, for \$600.

A copy of the will of the late Wm. H. Judd, of Miami County, Ohio, was admitted to record in the Mason Circuit Court Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Cartmell are entertaining a handsome young son at their home on Third street, Simon Morgan; born last night.

During the last ninety days Simon and Jonas Weil have bought and shipped nearly 10,000 export cattle from Kentucky, paying to the farmers over \$500,000.

Carlos Cluxton has succeeded Will Norris as agent of the C. and O. at South Ripley. The latter has accepted the agency of the Columbus and Ohio River road at Ripley.

The temperature was down to 6° again this morning. The week has been one of fine winter weather, the temperature ranging from about 6° at night to around 30° during the day.

Representative Hopkins, of Kentucky, has introduced a bill in the House extending the provisions of the 1890 pension act to the survivors of the Kentucky State Militia and the provisional Kentucky Militia who served during the Civil war.

The dramatization by Mr. Justin Adams of the "best New England story ever written" and one of the most popular and best selling books of the day, entitled "Quincy Adams Sawyer," which will be seen at the opera house Monday, December 21st, is presented by a carefully selected company of well known artists and is given in four acts and five scenes, all specially built and painted for this production. Seats on sale at Ray's Saturday morning.

Smith, the shoeman, reminds the public that "the day of promise" is near at hand. The New Shoe Store will give away to patrons Christmas morning \$150 in cash and presents, the gifts ranging from \$50 down, including a fine Morris chair, opera glasses, handsome parlor lamp, jardiniere and stand, men's and women's fine shoes, etc. In addition to the above there will be a lot of pretty hand-painted landscapes done in rich water colors, some mounted on heavy mats, requiring no frames. One of these, with the compliments of the house will be presented to each of the first hundred ladies that offer a certificate after the other awards have been made. Samples of these pictures with some of the other gifts named, are on display in the firm's show windows.

D. Hechinger & Co.

TO OUR PATRONS AND THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL:

The indications strongly point to the best holiday trade we have enjoyed for many years. The inducements we are holding out in prices, considering the class of goods we carry, must appeal to the intelligent people. Did they not, the public would not flock to our store as they do.

We need not again enumerate the elegant, sensible and useful lines of merchandise suitable for Christmas presents.

Our window displays tell that story better than we can tell it in the newspapers.

We ask our friends, and particularly those near home, not to defer their shopping in our line until the last day or two before the holidays. It is always best to avoid the rush incident to the last two or three days before Christmas.

In the last twenty-four hours we received a new supply of Choice Mufflers and Gloves. We call particular attention to them on account of their elegance.

We give Globe Trading Stamps.

D. HECHINGER & CO.,

THE HOME STORE.

SOME GIFTS THAT WILL GET THE Music Box Valued \$325

Albums, Autograph Albums, Albums for unmounted photos, Alphabet Blocks, Accordions, Atomizers, Automatic Knives, Books and Toy Books, Backgammon Boards, Baggage Tags, Baskets, waste paper, Ball Balls, Bill Books, Black Boards, Book Holders, Book Slates, Brushes, shaving, Bru-hes, tooth, Brushes, military, Boards, archarena, Boards, crokinole, Balls, base and fancy, Banjos, Bibles, Bicycles, Christmas Cards, Calendars, Candles, Card Cases, Checker Boards, Cigar Cases, Collar and Cuff Bags, Chatelaine Bags, Chess, Card Cases, Crumb Trays, Dolls, Fountain Pens, Frames, Harmonicas, Holder, photo, Handkerchiefs, Ink Stands, Jewel Boxes, Kodaks, Lap Tablets, Lamps, Manicure Sets, Madallions, Mirrors, Music Rolls, Mandolins, Necktie Boxes, Note Books, Paper Weights, Ping-Pong, Papeteries, Printing Presses, Parcheesi, Pictures, Purses, Pocket-books, Phonographs, Razors, safety, Rifles, Scrap Books, Sealing Wax, Skates, ice and roller, Smoking Sets, Shaving Sets, Soap Boxes, Stationery, Sleds, Toilet Cases, Tooth Picks, gold, Tennis Rackets, Tally Cards, Toys, Violins, Vases, Visiting Cards and Envelopes, Velocipedes, Wall Pockets, Work Boxes, Wrist Bags, Wagons, Games, Gold Pens, Glove and Handkerchief, Guitar.

THIS IS A GREAT YEAR WITH

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

Call, look them over, get your coupon and draw the finest Music Box ever seen in Maysville.

To the Trade.

On or about Dec. 21st, sufficient improvements will have been made to the business heretofore known as the Maysville Bottling Works, recently purchased by me, to begin operations when I will offer a standard of Carbonated Beverages and Mineral Waters unsurpassed anywhere, and which I am sure will please. The goods will be produced wholesome and pure, and above all will be made clean. I hope to merit your patronage by strict attention to business, and by serving the class of goods mentioned. Very respectfully,

Proprietor Kentucky Bottling Works. Out of town orders will receive prompt attention.

John Mannen Robertson, who formerly lived on Tuckahoe Ridge, was married Dec. 10th at Englewood, Mo., his bride being Miss Emily Lee Gossett. They will reside at Kansas City.

Fruits and nuts at O'Keefe's.

Hurry up, and see Gerbrich's pianos.

Slop for sale at Limestone distillery commencing Dec. 11th.

Mrs. J. W. Osborne, of Dover, is threatened with an attack of pneumonia.

Congressman Kehoe has introduced a bill for the relief of J. W. Crawford, postmaster at Riverton, Greenup County.

HEATING

STOVES--RANGES!

All styles, "best on earth," lowest prices, at W. F. POWER'S.

J. HENRY PECOR.

SHERIFF ROBERSON.

His Official and Revenue Bonds For Year 1904 Executed Thursday—List of Sureties.

Sheriff James R. Roberson executed his official bond Thursday, and also his bonds for the collection and accounting of the county and State revenue for year 1904.

The sureties are the same on each of the three bonds, and include some of the city's and county's most substantial citizens. They are Messrs. T. B. Roberson, Wm. Luttrell, J. H. Clark, Wm. P. Roberson, J. T. Collopy, C. C. Arthur, D. Hechinger, S. P. Perrine, Charles D. Pearce.

Look in at O'Keefe's.

Oysters and celery at O'Keefe's.

The next State Christian Endeavor convention will be held at Glasgow in May.

Call and try Cuban Clover and Cuban Violet, the perfume that lasts.

J. JAS. WOOD & SON.

Tickles the palate, sharpens the appetite, enriches the blood,—"Old Honesty" rye whisky 50c full quart.

M. C. RUSSELL CO.

Buy early at O'Keefe's.

Honey comb candy at Traxel's.

Nash's barber shop, No. 6 E. Second.

Painless extraction of teeth at Dr. Cartmell's.

Rev. T. S. Buckingham will preach next Sunday at Sardis.

An elegant diamond ring from \$5 and up at Clooney & Perrine's.

Two pounds of good wholesome homemade taffy for 25c, at Traxel's.

Before purchasing call and see J. Jas. Wood & Son's line of Xmas gifts.

At Hainline's toy store \$3 crokinole boards, felt lined, reduced to \$1.25.

Auctioneer H. C. Hawkins was at Point Pleasant, W. Va., Thursday, crying another big sale.

The appellant has filed a motion to set aside the judgment in the case of the C. and O., from this county.

The Court of Appeals has overruled the petition for a rehearing in the case of Wilson against Sullivan, from Lewis County.

The funeral of Judge Hanson Kennedy, whose death was mentioned in the BULLETIN's dispatches Thursday, takes place at Carlisle this afternoon.

You Are Invited

To visit my store and inspect my immense stock. It is now full and complete. It is clean and up-to-date. In variety it can't be beat. In quality no better can be produced.

Specialties For the Holidays.....

An unusually large stock of FIREWORKS and CANDIES of all kinds, Nuts, mixed and un-mixed; also, Oranges, Bananas, Lemons, Apples, Figs, Raisins, Dates, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, Dried Fruits, Prunes, Maple Sugar, Buckwheat Flour, Catsups, Oyster Cocktail Sauce, and every article in the Fancy Grocery Line; Oysters, Celery and Cranberries, Poultry and Game. My stock of Fine Teas is unusually large, and my stock of Canned Goods can't be surpassed, either in quantity or quality. Before the late heavy advances in Green Coffee I laid in a large supply. My goods in that line are attractive. My arrangements with a Southern planter who produces the goods enable me at all times to offer the Purest and Best Open Kettle New Crop MOLASSES. My stock is now unusually large. Have just received from the packers in Boston a very large invoice of FINE MACKEREL in kits and barrels; quality extra. My Roasted Coffee are always fresh and quality unsurpassed. My Special Blend at 25c. has no equal for the money. Perfection Flour is always the best. You make no mistake when you buy it.

Remember, I buy my goods in large quantities from first hands and can meet anybody's price; and don't forget I both WHOLESALE and RETAIL. Because of my largely increased business I was compelled to buy another house for storage room, and it is now full.

R. B. LOVELL,

THE LEADING GROCER.

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Useful and Sensible GIFTS

For the holidays can be had at the New York Store of Hays & Co. at greatly reduced prices.

A nice Storm Veil in pink, blue, red, white, 24c. on up to \$1.

Ladies' Underwear, best in town, 25c.; a winner.

Children's Wraps 98c. on up to \$4, worth much more.

A fine pair of Shoes for lady and gent 98c on up.

Men's fine Health Underwear, fleeced lined, 39c.

Ladies' Wraps, the chance of a lifetime, new, elegant styles, only \$3.95.

Fine Silks for dresses and waists 40c. on up; best black silk only \$1.

Ladies' ready-to-wear Hats 25c. on up.

Ladies' Wraps, finest kind, only \$6.

A good Blanket 39c. on up; very large Blankets, extra heavy, 99c.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, \$3 value now \$1.50.

Three thousand Handkerchiefs for Ladies and Gents, 5 and 10c. and 25c.; see them.

A heavy Comfort 59c. to \$1.50; worth much more.

Dress goods of every description. Prices less than at other places.

A big assortment of Dolls cheap.

Every 25c. purchase entitles you to a chance on the fine Doll.

HAYS & CO.



Santa Claus

Reports a heavier mail each succeeding day. Hundreds of requests overwhelm the old gent, who says it seems as though all the boys want SKATES and POCKET KNIVES this year. Some girls, too, have written for a pair of "Clubs." Many mothers want Stag Carving Sets, a case of fine Pearl-handle Knives and Forks, Triple-plated Spoons, or Scissors in Sets. Something doin', also, in Pearl-handle RAZORS and complete Shaving Outfits. By virtue of the authority vested in us through Saint Nick's approval of our holiday stock, we have been declared the people who can "deliver the goods."

THE FRANK OWENS HARDWARE COMPANY, MAYSVILLE, KY.

ARE YOU SORE? USE
Paracamp
 Relieves Instantly or Money Refunded.
Itching, Bleeding Piles,
 Stops the Itching. Stops the Bleeding. Allays all
 Inflammation. It Cools. It Soothes. It Cures.
 Sold only in 25c., 50c. & \$1.00 Bottles. At all good Druggists.

For Sale by Thomas J. Chenoweth, Druggist.

ALMOST A RIOT.

**Knives and Revolvers Were Drawn
But Police Acted Promptly.**

Pueblo, Col., Dec. 18.—At a meeting held Thursday night, at which "Mother" Jones and President Moyer, of the Western Federation of Miners, were the principal speakers, a riot was almost precipitated by a Cripple Creek miner named Donald McKenzie, who interrupted Moyer in his address, charging him with responsibility for the strike and the conditions at Cripple Creek. In the excitement which followed, knives and revolvers were drawn, but the prompt action on the part of the police and the cooler heads in the audience prevented bloodshed.

ON THE WAY TO MEXICO.

**Two Train Robbers Who Broke Jail at
Tombstone Sighted.**

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 18.—Burt Alvord and Billy Stiles, the two train robbers who broke jail at Tombstone, Ariz., were seen and recognized Thursday by County Superintendent of Schools Charles Walker, of Fairbanks, who was crossing the desert, near the Mexican border, on a train. Both Alvord and Stiles were mounted on jaded horses. Walker opened fire with a six-shooter, but the desperadoes put spurs to their horses and rode off in the direction of the border. It is believed that the fugitives will be intercepted if they attempt to cross into Mexico.

Will Affiliate With the F. of L.
 Washington, Dec. 18.—The executive council of the American Federation of

Labor received a telegram from the president of the American Flint Glass Workers' union saying that the organization had declared in favor of affiliation with the F. of L.

Football Game Arranged.

New York, Dec. 18.—At the banquet of the alumni of the University of Michigan it was announced that arrangements had been made for a football game between the university and Columbia university to be played here next Thanksgiving day.

Four Children Burned to Death.

Athens, Ga., Dec. 18.—News has reached here of the burning in a remote section of Oconee county Wednesday night of a Negro cabin, in which four small children were burned to death. The parents left the children alone in the house.

Explosion of a Steam Pipe.

Baltimore, Dec. 18.—By the explosion of a steam pipe in the fire room of the Turkish cruiser Medjvia, recently built by the Cramps, of Philadelphia, four men were severely scalded. They are being treated at Johns Hopkins hospital.

Mrs. Blair's Resignation.

St. Louis, Dec. 18.—A joint session of the board of lady managers and the national world's fair commission was held and a letter accepting Mrs. Blair's resignation as president and expressing a high regard for her devotion was sent to her.

Newcastle, Col., Dec. 18.—The homes of five striking coal miners were wrecked Thursday by explosions of giant powder. Nobody was killed.

HERE AND THERE.

**Items of Interest From Nearby Towns and
Villages Contributed by the Bulletin's Corps of Correspondents.**

MAYSVILLE, Dec. 18th.—Mrs. Emma Turner has suffered a relapse and is again very ill at the home of her father, Dr. H. Y. Browning.

Misses Anna Redmond and Nora Reed, of Maysville, were pleasant guests of friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Howell Jones, of Ashland, is here for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pogue and other relatives.

Miss Kathryn Slattery spent a few days with her parents at Tuckahoe the past week.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Church realized \$10 from their recent "oyster supper," which was indeed a rare treat in that line and an unbounded success in every particular. The proceeds are to be used towards decorating the interior of the church.

Chickenpox has proven an epidemic among the pupils of the graded school, and disconsolate indeed is the little boy who has not yet "ketches it"—a week at least in advance of the regular holidays.

Miss Collins, of Flemingsburg, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Collins the past week.

A Christmas tree and Santa Claus in all his glory will be one of the holiday treats at the Christian Church the afternoon before Christmas.

Miss Garnet Hauke, one of Maysville's fair daughters, was the guest of Mrs. Will Robinson recently.

W. E. Pogue is on the sick list this week, suffering from a severe cold.

The K. of P.'s are talking of giving a supper during the holidays, the proceeds to be added to fund necessary for the building of a new I. O. O. F. and K. of P. hall. We predict success for them in advance of the event.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Horner and Rev. Mr. Thompson, of Newport, were guests of honor at a dining at the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peed, Thursday last, and at Mr. and Mrs. Reese's Friday.

Miss Lida Bell, who has been on the sick list the past two weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Margaret Hanley has taken her youngest daughter, Patricia, to a Cincinnati hospital for treatment, and at last reports she was somewhat improved.

Bedford Pogue is suffering from an attack of Chickenpox.

Rev. Mr. Thompson, of Newport, closed a very interesting meeting with nine additions at the Baptist Church last Friday evening. Mr. Thompson is a popular divine of strong individuality, his sermons and readings showing thought, strength and deep conviction. Rev. Mr. Horner, the regular pastor, and his charming wife added much to the success of the meeting with beautiful solos and duets.

COAL

It is here—just arrived fresh from the mines. Peacock and Williams, at same old price. Also handle BRICK, Sand, Lime and Salt. Agents for Alabaster Plaster.

**MAYSVILLE COAL CO.,
COOPER'S OLD STAND.
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THE RACKET

Come at once and get choice selections of

**DOLLS,
TOYS,
GAMES,**

Tree Ornaments, Books, Fancy China and all kinds of useful and ornamental Xmas goods. Plenty of Fireworks. Staples always in stock.

L. H. YOUNG & CO

No. 40 West Second Street, formerly "Brown's China Palace."

DR. LANDMAN
 Central Hotel,

Thursday, January 4th, 1904.

There will be no services this evening at the Baptist Church, on account of the illness of the pastor.

Opera House!

MONDAY, DECEMBER 21.

Big scenic production in play form of "The best New England story ever written."
 "It is as sweetly natural as the breath of the fields."—Philadelphia Record.

Quincy Adams Sawyer

and MASON'S CORNER FOLKS. Large and excellent company. "One great big laugh from beginning to end and the sweetest love story ever told."

Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.

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Our department on Framed Pictures cannot be equalled. We also have a nice new line of Portrait Frames and Mouldings. Come in and learn prices.

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We cure cancer without the knife. Very little pain. Have cured over twenty cases in Mason County during the last ten years. We send a free book upon request which tells all about method of treatment. Will refer you to Mr. Geo. S. Rosser of this paper, Seldon W. Bramel, Wedonia, Ky., Mrs. Joel T. Luman, Mt. Carmel, Ky., Wm. Bramel, North Fork, Ky., and a dozen others in your own county if you wish them. Write for free book at once.

DRS. GRATIGNY & BUSH,
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 Formerly Clinical Assistant in the London Central Throat and Ear Hospital; Prof. Laryngology, Cincinnati College Medicine and Surgery '82-'90.
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 Eyes tested and glasses ground to order. Office No. 135 West Second St., Maysville, Ky.

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MARKET STREET, MAYSVILLE, KY.
 Captain Alex. Calhoun, Mr. "Kinney" McClanahan and Mr. James Whitaker crossed on the ice at Brooks' Bar Thursday afternoon, and report it solid.

**THE COLD WEATHER STOPS THE BOATS!
DAN COHEN STOPS HIGH
PRICES ON
BOOTS and SHOES
CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS and
RUBBERS.**

Nowhere is such an assortment to be found. Men's fancy Slippers good enough for Father, Husband, Brother or Sweetheart, worth \$1, Xmas price only 48c.; extra fine ones for 98c. A full line of Ladies' Felt Slippers, fur trimmed, Xmas price 69c, worth \$1.25. No mistake about saving money at **DAN COHEN'S**. Men's Rubbers 10c.

W. H. MEANS, Manager.